IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 2125
OGUSHI) Examiner: Bahta, Kidest
Serial No.: 10/683,570) Confirmation No.: 7657
Filed: October 9, 2003) <u>AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE</u>
Atty. File No.: 2933SEC-1) Filed Electronically on March 2, 2007
For: "METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR ASSISTING A WORKER IN CHARGE OF OPERATIONS")))
Mail Stop Amendment	
Commissioner for Patents	
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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of November 2, 2006. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a one-month extension of time, thereby extending the time period for response from February 2, 2007 to March 2, 2007. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 19-1970 for the extension fee in the amount of \$120.00. Although the Applicant believes that no fees are due for filing this Amendment and Response, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.